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CHAPTER 247

AN ACT TO REPEAL CHAPTER FORTY, PUBLIC LAWS OF ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED THIRTY-THREE, RELATING TO FEES OF WITNESSES IN DUPLIN COUNTY.

The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:

Ch. 40, Public Laws 1933, and C. S. 3893, amended, as to witness fees in Duplin County.

Conflicting laws repealed.

SECTION 1. That the provisions of Chapter Forty, Public Laws of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-three, amending Section three thousand eight hundred ninety-three of the Consolidated Statutes, shall not apply to Duplin County.

SEC. 2. That all laws and clauses of laws in conflict with this act are hereby repealed.

SEC. 3. That this act shall be in full force and effect from and after its ratification.

Ratified this the 26th day of April, A. D. 1935.

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CHAPTER 248

AN ACT TO AMEND THE CONSTITUTION TO PERMIT CLASSIFICATION OF PROPERTY FOR TAXATION, ENCOURAGEMENT OF HOME OWNERSHIP, TO INCREASE THE LIMIT FOR INCOME TAXATION AND TO LIMIT THE POWER OF STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT TO BORROW MONEY WITHOUT A VOTE OF THE PEOPLE.

The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:

Art. 7, subsec. 9, and art. 5, sec. 3, Constitution of N. C., amended.

SECTION 1. That article seven of the Constitution of North Carolina be amended by striking out sub-section nine, and re-numbering the remaining sub-sections, and that article five of the Constitution of North Carolina be amended by striking out all of section three of said article down to, and including, the word "months," in line twenty-six (as printed in the Public Laws of North Carolina, Session of 1933), and substituting in lieu thereof the following:

State taxation provision.

Uniformity.

Public purposes.

"Sec. 3. *State Taxation.* The power of taxation shall be exercised in a just and equitable manner, and shall never be surrendered, suspended or contracted away. Taxes on property shall be uniform as to each class of property taxed. Taxes shall be levied only for public purposes, and every act levying a tax shall state the object to which it is to be applied."

Art. 5, further amended, raising rate on incomes.

SEC. 2. That article five of the Constitution of North Carolina be further amended by striking out in lines twenty-eight and twenty-nine of sub-section three of said Article (as printed in the Public Laws of North Carolina, Session of 1933) the